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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Mariana MUNTEANU, et al.

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For: BILAYER MAGNETIC STRUCTURE FOR HIGH DENSITY RECORDING MEDIA

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action
dated October 11, 2002.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add new claims 8 and 9 as follows:

--8. (New) The magnetic recording medium according to claim 1, wherein the second magnetic layer is directly on the first magnetic layer.--

--9. (New) The magnetic recording medium according to claim 1, wherein:

the first magnetic layer has a thickness of about 100Å to about 130Å; and

the second magnetic layer has a thickness of about 40Å to about 100Å.--